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U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Ethics

MEMBER / OFFICER POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from a private source for travel taken in connection with a Member or officer's official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the Member or officer's annual Financial Disclosure Statement. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, you must **complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House, 135 Cannon House Office Building, within 15 days after travel is completed.** Please do not file this form with the Committee on Ethics.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Name of Traveler: Gregorio Kilili Camacho Sablan
2. a. Name of accompanying relative: _____ or None ☒
b. Relationship to Traveler: ☐ Spouse ☐ Child ☐ Other (specify): _____
3. a. Dates of departure and return: Departure: 9/15/2017 Return: 9/24/2017
b. Dates at personal expense: _____ or None ☒
4. Departure city: Saipan, MP Destination: China (Beijing, Tianjin, Jinan, Qufu) Return city: Washington, DC
5. Sponsor(s) (who paid for the trip): National Committee on US-China Relations 501(c)(3)
6. Describe meetings and events attended (attach additional pages if necessary):
See attached itinerary
7. Attached to this form are EACH of the following (*signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box*):
 - a. ☒ a completed Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form;
 - b. ☒ the Primary Trip Sponsor Form completed by the trip sponsor prior to the trip, including all attachments and Grantmaking or Non-Grantmaking Sponsor Forms;
 - c. ☒ page 2 of the completed Traveler Form submitted by the Member or officer; **and**
 - d. ☒ the letter from the Committee on Ethics approving my participation on this trip.
8. a. I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the sponsor's agenda. (*Signify that statement is true by checking box*): ☒
b. If not, explain: _____

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have determined that all of the expenses on the attached Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form were necessary and that the travel was in connection with my duties as a Member or officer of the U.S. House of Representatives and would not create the appearance that I am using public office for private gain.

SIGNATURE OF MEMBER: _____

g. Kilili

DATE: 10/04/2017

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SPONSOR POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

This form must be completed by an officer of any organization that served as the primary trip sponsor in providing travel expenses or reimbursement for travel expenses to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. ***A completed copy of the form must be provided to each House Member, officer, or employee who participated on the trip within 10 days of their return.*** You must answer all questions, and check all boxes, on this form for your submission to comply with House rules and the Committee's travel regulations. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the denial of future requests to sponsor trips and/or subject the current traveler to disciplinary action or a requirement to repay the trip expenses.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Sponsor(s) (who paid for the trip): National Committee on U.S.-China Relations
2. Travel Destination(s): China (Beijing, Tianjin, Jinan, Qufu)
3. Date of Departure: 9/15/17 Date of Return: 9/24/17
4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): Gregorio Sablan
(NOTE: You may list more than one traveler on a form only if all information is identical for each person listed.)
5. **Actual amount** of expenses paid on behalf of, or reimbursed to, each individual named in response to Question 4:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses	Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler	\$7,205.12	\$1,132.35	\$553.26	\$142.13 (Please See attached)
Accompanying Relative	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

6. All expenses connected to the trip were for actual costs incurred and not a *per diem* or lump sum payment. (Signify statement is true by checking box): ☒

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: 

Name: Jan Berris

Title: Vice-President

Organization: National Committee on U.S.-China Relations

I am an officer of the above-named organization (signify statement is true by checking box): ☐

Address: 6 E 43rd Street, 24th Floor, New York, NY 10017

Telephone number: 212-645-9677

Email Address: jberris@ncuscr.org

Committee staff may contact the above-named individual if additional information is required.

If you have questions regarding your completion of this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at (202) 225-7103.

**U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Ethics**

TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: Rep. Gregorio Kilili Camacho Sablan
2. Sponsor(s) (who will be paying for the trip): National Committee on US-China Relations 501(c)(3)
3. Travel destination(s): Beijing, Tianjin, Ji'nan and Qufu (Shandong Province) - CHINA
4. a. Date of departure 9/15/2017 Date of return: 9/24/2017
b. Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, dates at personal expense: _____
5. a. Will you be accompanied by a relative at the sponsor's expense? ☐ Yes ☒ No
b. If yes:
(1) Name of accompanying relative: _____
(2) Relationship to traveler: ☐ Spouse ☐ Child ☐ Other (specify): _____
(3) Accompanying relative is at least 18 years of age: ☐ Yes ☐ No
6. a. Did the trip sponsor answer "yes" to Question 9(d) on the Primary Trip Sponsor Form (*i.e.*, travel is sponsored by an entity that employs a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent and you are requesting lodging for two nights)? ☐ Yes ☒ No
b. If yes, explain why the second night of lodging is warranted:

7. Primary Trip Sponsor Form is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments and contributing sponsor forms: ☒ Yes ☐ No
NOTE: The agenda should show the traveler's individual schedule, including departure and arrival times and identify the specific events in which the traveler will be participating.
8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to the traveler's individual official or representational duties. Staff should include their job title and how the activities on the itinerary relate to their duties.
The Northern Marianas, the district that Congressman Sablan
represents, is closely linked geographically and economically, with
China. He is a member of the US-China Working Group.
9. Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved in planning, organizing, requesting, and/or arranging the trip? ☐ Yes ☒ No

10. **FOR STAFF TRAVELERS:**

TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR EMPLOYING MEMBER:

ADVANCED AUTHORIZATION OF EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Date: _____

Signature of Employing Member

**U.S. House of Representatives
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PRIMARY TRIP SPONSOR FORM

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer, or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee together with a Traveler Form at least 30 days before the start date of the trip. The trip sponsor should NOT submit the form directly to the Committee. The Committee Web site (ethics.house.gov) provides detailed instructions for filling out the form.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001. Failure to comply with the Committee's Travel Regulations may also lead to the denial of permission to sponsor future trips.

1. Sponsor (who will be paying for the trip): _____
The National Committee on U.S.-China Relations 501(c)(3) _____
2. I represent that the trip will not be financed (in whole or in part) by a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent (signify that the statement is true by checking box): ☒
3. Check only one: I represent that:
 - a. the primary trip sponsor has not accepted from any other source funds intended directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip ☒ or
 - b. the trip is arranged without regard to congressional participation and the primary trip sponsor has accepted funds only from entities that will receive a tangible benefit in exchange for those funds ☐ or.
 - c. the primary trip sponsor has accepted funds from other source(s) intended directly or indirectly to finance all or part of this trip and has enclosed disclosure forms from each of those entities. ☐If "c" is checked, list the names of the additional sponsors: _____

4. Provide names and titles of **ALL** House Members and employees you are inviting. **For each House invitee, provide an explanation of why the individual was invited** (include additional pages if necessary):
(See supplemental information attached.) Representatives Darin LaHood, Rick Larsen, Sean Patrick Maloney, Roger Marshall, Gregorio Sablan, Kevin Yoder, David Young
5. Is travel being offered to an accompanying relative of the House invitee(s)? ☒ Yes ☐ No
6. Date of departure: September 15, 2017 Date of return: September 24, 2017
7.
 - a. City of departure: Washington, D.C.
 - b. Destination(s): Beijing, Tianjin, Ji'nan and Qufu (Shandong Province)
 - c. City of return: Washington, D.C.
8. I represent that (check one of the following):
 - a. The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: ☐ or
 - b. The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent: ☒ or
 - c. The sponsor employs or retains a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent, but the trip is for attendance at a one-day event and lobbyist/foreign agent involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations. ☐
9. Check one of the following:
 - a. I checked 8(a) or (b) above: ☒
 - b. I checked 8(c) above but am not offering any lodging: ☐
 - c. I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for one night: ☐ or
 - d. I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for two nights: ☐If "d" is checked, explain why the second night of lodging is warranted: _____

10. Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities the House invitees will be participating in during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities for trip invitees) (indicate agenda is attached by checking box): ☒

11. Check one:

a. I represent that a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip (signify that the statement is true by checking box): ☒ or

b. N/A – trip sponsor is a U.S. institution of higher education. ☐

12. For each sponsor required to submit a sponsor form, describe the sponsor's interest in the subject matter of the trip and its role in organizing and/or conducting the trip:

The sole sponsor of the trip, the NCUSCR has a mission to foster constructive dialogue on critical issues affecting the U.S.-China relationship. Now in our 51st year, we have a history of organizing ~~programs for Members of Congress in the belief that it is crucial for our countries' political leaders to~~ deepen their understanding of political, economic, strategic, and other issues confronting both countries. NCUSCR will draw on its expertise and extensive network to arrange meetings, briefings, ~~and site visits that elucidate agricultural, aviation, environmental, and other issues, and delve into~~ China's latest reforms and legislation.

13. Answer parts a and b. Answer part c if necessary.

a. Mode of travel: Air ☒ Rail ☒ Bus ☒ Car ☐ Other ☐ (Specify: _____)

b. Class of travel: Coach ☒ Business ☒ First ☐ Charter ☐ Other ☐ (Specify: _____)

c. If travel will be first class or by chartered or private aircraft, explain why such travel is warranted:

14. I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). (signify that the statement is true by checking box): ☒

15. I represent that either (check one of the following):

a. The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees: ☐ or

b. The trip involves events that are arranged specifically *with regard* to congressional participation: ☒

If "b" is checked:

1) Detail the cost per day of meals (approximate cost may be provided): _____
\$50-80 per day

2) Provide reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: _____

Beijing, for its central role in China's government, commerce, and defense;

Tianjin, for its many manufacturing joint ventures; and

Shandong Province, for its agricultural sector and national caliber parks

16. Name, nightly cost, and reasons for selecting each hotel or other lodging facility:

Hotel name: Kerry Center City: Beijing Cost per night: \$220

Reason(s) for selecting: Whenever possible, NCUSCR selects hotels it has used in the past. We take into account convenience, value, and quality.

Hotel name: Sheraton Jinan Hotel City: Jinan, Shandong Cost per night: \$84

Reason(s) for selecting: Whenever possible, NCUSCR selects hotels it has used in the past. We take into account convenience, value, and quality.

Hotel name: Shangri-La Hotel City: Qufu, Shandong Cost per night: \$95

Reason(s) for selecting: Whenever possible, NCUSCR selects hotels it has used in the past. We take into account convenience, value, and quality.

17. I represent that all expenses connected to the trip will be for actual costs incurred and not a per diem or lump sum payment. (signify that the statement is true by checking box): ☒

18. TOTAL EXPENSES FOR EACH PARTICIPANT:

<input type="checkbox"/> actual amounts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good faith estimates	Total <i>Transportation</i> Expenses per Participant	Total <i>Lodging</i> Expenses per Participant	Total <i>Meal</i> Expenses per Participant
For each Member, Officer, or employee	6,200-6,800	1,083	550
For each accompanying relative	0	0	0

	<i>Other</i> Expenses (dollar amount per item)	Identify Specific Nature of "Other" Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For each Member, Officer, or employee	270	visas, short-term insurance, cultural tickets <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
For each accompanying relative	0	

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19. Check one:

- a. I certify that I am an officer of the organization listed below. ☒ or
b. N/A – sponsor is an individual or a U.S. institution of higher education. ☐

20. I certify that I am not a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent for any sponsor of this trip. ☒

21. I certify by my signature that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: The National Committee on U.S.-China Relations

Address: 6 E 43rd Street, 24th Floor, New York, NY 10017

Telephone number: 212-645-0494

Email address: sorlins@ncuscr.org

If there are any questions regarding this form please contact the Committee at the following address:

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1015 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
(202) 225-7103 (phone)
(202) 225-7392 (general fax)

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September 8, 2017

The Honorable Gregorio Kilili C. Sablan
U.S. House of Representatives
2411 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Colleague:

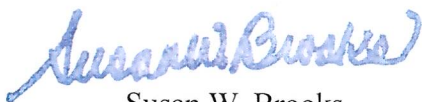
Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to China, scheduled for September 15 to 24, 2017, sponsored by the National Committee on U.S-China Relations.

You must complete a Member/Officer Post-Travel Disclosure Form and file it, together with a Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form completed by the trip sponsor, with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are also required to attach a copy of this letter and both the Traveler and Primary Trip Sponsor Forms (including attachments) you previously submitted to the Committee in seeking pre-approval for this trip. You must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$390 from a single source on the "Travel" schedule of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement covering this calendar year. Finally, Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting information provided to the Committee for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

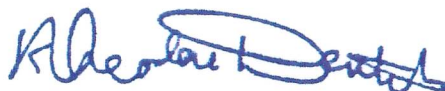
Because the trip may involve meetings with foreign government representatives, we note that House Members may accept, under the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act (FGDA), gifts "of minimal value [currently \$390] tendered as a souvenir or mark of courtesy" by a foreign government. Any tangible gifts valued in excess of minimal value received from a foreign government must, within 60 days of acceptance, be disclosed on a Form for Disclosing Gifts from Foreign Governments filed with the Committee, and either turned over to the Clerk of the House, or, with the written approval of the Committee, retained for official use.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,



Susan W. Brooks
Chairwoman



Theodore E. Deutch
Ranking Member

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CONGRESSIONAL MEMBERS TRIP TO CHINA
September 15-24, 2017

ITINERARY

September 16-19 & 24: Beijing
China World Summit Wing
1 Jianguomenwai Avenue, Beijing
T: 86 10 6505 2299

September 20-22: Jinan, Shandong
InterContinental Jinan
3 Tiandi Tan Road, Jinan
T: 86 531 8602 9999

September 23: Qufu, Shandong
Shangri-la Qufu
3 Chunqiu Road, Qufu
T: 86 537 505 8888

Key Contact information

Steve Orlins China cell: 86 135 0106 7945; U.S. cell: 202-236-0601; Email: sorlins@ncuscr.org
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National Committee office: Jan Berris, 212-645-5844; 646-456-3386 (cell)
NPC Contact: PENG Qiao (Emma) China cell: 86 139 1060 9105; Email: emma_pq@hotmail.com

Friday, September 15

Morning

Members depart for Beijing

- at 2:50 am from Saipan via Seoul on OZ626 and OZ331 (Congressman Sablan)
- at 11:00 am from San Francisco on UA888 (Ms. Marshall)
- at 12:25 pm from Washington Dulles on UA807 (Congressmen Larsen, Young, Marshall, SUN Yun, Nicky Zhou)
- at 12:30 pm from Chicago (ORD) on UA851 (Congressman and Mrs. LaHood)

Saturday, September 16

9:40 am

Congressman Sablan arrives on OZ 331 from Seoul. Met by Jenny Lee who will be in the long line of "meeters" outside the baggage area, holding a sign with his name; her cell is 86 135 1102 8762.

11:10

Congressman Maloney departs for Beijing at 7:30 am from Dallas (DFW) via San Francisco on UA5994 and US888

Afternoon

Members arrive in Beijing

- 2:20 pm on UA807 from IAD (Larsen, Young, Marshall, Sun, Zhou)
- 2:40 pm on UA888 (Mrs. Marshall)
- 3:15 pm on UA851 from ORD (LaHoods)

Met by National People's Congress (NPC) officials

Contact for this and all other Beijing events that do not show a contact:

Peng Qiao (Emma) China cell: 86 139 1060 9105; Email: emma_pq@hotmail.com

Proceed to China World Summit Wing Hotel

Afternoon

Rest

6:00 pm

DRESS: Shirt and slacks (and comparable dress for women)
Meet in hotel lobby to walk to dinner

6:30

Dinner with Elizabeth Knup

Contact: e.knup@fordfoundation.org; 86 139 1102 4397

(Xihe Yaju 羲和雅居, Northeast corner of Ritan Park)

Discussion with Elizabeth Knup, China Representative at the Ford Foundation, on the development and current status of civil society and the new Foreign NGO law

Sunday, September 17

DRESS: Shirt, slacks and good walking shoes

Breakfast at the hotel (79th floor, Hong Kong Room)

8:30 am	Depart hotel with Schwarzman Fellows (Janet Eom, Eleanor Freund, Max Goldberg, Madeline Siebert, Erik Sutton, Jacko Walz)
9:00	Temple of Heaven
10:30	Depart
10:45	Hong Qiao Market
11:45	Depart
12:15 pm	Walk around Tiananmen Square
1:00	Lunch and discussion with Professor Zha Daojiong of Peking University's International Relations Department (Topics to cover U.S.-China relations, North Korea, South China Sea, energy, cybersecurity)
2:40	Depart
[2:40	Congressmen Maloney arrives in Beijing from Dallas (DFW) on AA 263. Met by NPC Representatives and taken directly to Forbidden City]
3:00	Private tour of the Forbidden City (Palace Museum) and dinner with museum director Mr. Shan Jixiang Contact: Jenny Lee, 86 135 1102 8762
7:15	Depart

Monday, September 18

DRESS: Suit and tie or jacket/blazer, tie and slacks LEADER: Congressman LaHood

Breakfast at the hotel (79th floor, Hong Kong Room or Hotel Lobby)

(Please bring your passport for the U.S. Embassy meeting)

8:30 am	Depart hotel
9:00	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Meeting with Vice Foreign Minister Zheng Zeguang Cong Song, Deputy Director-General, Department of North American and Oceanian Affairs
10:30	National People's Congress (NPC) Working Session with NPC Foreign Affairs Committee Chair Madame Fu Ying. Discussion on U.S.-China agricultural relationship and developments, China's foreign policy, and the U.S. administration's views on China. Chen Xiaogong, Committee Member Ren Zhiqiang, Deputy director, NPC International Exchange Office
12:30 pm	Lunch hosted by Madame Fu
1:30	Depart

2:00 U.S. Embassy
 Contact: Abraham Wise, Press Officer
 86 10 8531 3000, wisead@state.gov
 Meeting with U.S. Ambassador Terry Branstad and briefings from various sections within the embassy.
 Deputy Chief of Mission Jonathan Fritz (TBC)
 Bill Klein, Minister Counselor for Political Affairs
 Anne Grimes, Public Affairs Office
 Rick Switzer, Office of Environment, Science, Transportation and Health
 Cynthia Griffin, Foreign Commercial Service
 Brandon Kelly, Department of Treasury
 James Green, U.S. Trade Representative
 Colonel Tim Kuehne, Defense Attache office
 Helena Fu, Department of Energy
 Bruce Zanin, Foreign Agriculture Service
 Henry Hand, Consular Affairs
 Andrew Wroblewski, Embassy Regional Security Office

3:30 Depart

4:15 Institute of Public and Environmental Affairs
 Contact: Kate Logan, Green Choice Outreach Coordinator
 86 10 6718 9470 ext. 8003; kate.logan@ipe.org.cn,
 Briefing by IPE founder and director Ma Jun on IPE's groundbreaking work addressing China's water, air, and soil pollution

5:30 Depart for hotel

6:30 *DRESS: shirt and slacks*
 Gather in the lobby to walk to dinner at the home of James Zimmerman, former AmCham president,
 Contact: James Zimmerman, Office Managing Partner, Shepherd Mullin
 Tower 1, Apt. 1501 at Windsor, 1 Guang Hua Xi Li
 86 138-0137-6247, jzimmerman@sheppardmullin.com

7:45 Discussion with western journalists
 Lucy Hornby, China Correspondent, *Financial Times*
 Jonathan Kaimen, Beijing Bureau Chief, *Los Angeles Times*
 Melinda Liu, Beijing Bureau Chief, *Newsweek*
 Jane Perlez, Bureau Chief, *New York Times*
 Ted Plafker, *The Economist*
 Gillian Wong, Greater China News Director, Associated Press
 (Waiting for a full name list)

Tuesday, September 19

7:30 am *DRESS: Suit and tie or jacket/blazer, tie and slacks LEADER: Congressman Larsen*
 US-China Business Council and American Chamber of Commerce Meeting
 Contact: Bai Yang, Government Affairs, AmCham
 86 10 85190; yangbai@amchamchina.org
 Discussion over breakfast with AmCham members (list to follow)
 Breakfast in hotel, 79th floor, Beijing Room

9:30 Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)
 Contact: Tian Chen, Office of the President
 86 10 8358 0001; ctian@aiib.org
 Meeting with AIIB President Jin Liqueun to discuss the bank's work and role
 Sir Danny Alexander, Vice President & Corporate Secretary
 D. J. Pandian, Vice President & Chief Investment Officer
 Gerard Sanders, General Counsel

Chen Huan, Chief Officer
Søren Elbech, Treasurer
John Samy, Senior Advisor to the President
Zhou Yong, Senior Advisor to the President
Oliver Barron, Executive Officer

11:00 Zhongnanhai
Meeting with Wang Yang, Vice Premier of the State Council
Fu Ying and Zheng Zeguang
(Waiting for a full name list)

11:45 Depart

12:30 pm Lunch (Venue TBD)

2:30 pm Central Military Commission
Meeting with Shao Yuanming, Deputy Chief of Staff, Chief of Staff Department
(Waiting for a full name list)

3:30 Depart

4:00 Ministry of Environmental Protection
Meeting with Vice Minister Zhao Yingming
(Waiting for a full name list)

5:00 Depart for hotel

6:00 Arrive at hotel

7:15 *DRESS: Shirt and slacks: LEADER Congressman LaHood*
Gather in lobby to go to dinner and discussion with Boeing China President John Bruns
Contact: John Bruns 86 139 0113 5015

Wednesday, September 20

DRESS: Jacket/blazer, tie and slacks LEADER: Congressman LaHood
Breakfast and hotel check out

9:00 Ministry of Agriculture
Meeting with Vice Minister Qu Dongyu
(Waiting for a full name list)

10:00 Depart

11:42 Depart for Tianjin via high speed rail (C2047)

12:17 pm Arrive Tianjin

1:00 Lunch

2:30 Caterpillar, Tianjin
Contact: Alex Cheng, HR Manager, 136-8210 5609
25 Huanhe West Road, Tianjin Airport Economic Area
Jeffrey Hardee, Executive Director, Gov't and Corporate Affairs, Asia Pacific
Patrick Zhang, Facility Manager
Gordon Wang, Regional Product Manager
Nathan Dunbar, Quality Manager
Kevin Zhao, Supply Chain Manager

Sean Cao, Manufacturing Engineering Manager
Sharon Yan, Business Resources Manager
Alex Cheng, Human Resources Manager
Joe Qiao, Gov't Affairs Manager

2:30 Introduction of Caterpillar and Caterpillar in China, by Jeffrey Hardee
2:45 CTL Introduction, by Gordon Wang and Patrick Zhang
3:00 Facility Tour (led by Gordon Wang, Patrick Zhang and Nathan Dunbar)
3:50 Group Picture

4:00 Depart for Tianjin Railway Station

5:16 Depart for Jinan, Shandong, via high speed (G1256)
6:32 Arrive in Jinan West

Met by Shandong Provincial People's Congress officials

Proceed to dinner with the Jianbang Group (a provincial level private company that works in a variety of areas including infrastructure, real estate, culture and new media)

After dinner visit to Jianbang cultural and new media entities

Proceed to the Jinan Intercontinental Hotel

Thursday, September 21

DRESS: Suit or jacket/blazer, tie and slacks LEADER: Congressman Larsen
Breakfast at the hotel

Depart hotel

8:45 am Baimai Modern Agricultural Demonstration Zone in Zhangqiu, Shandong

12 :00 pm Lunch with Jinan Mayor Mr. Wang Zhonglin
Sun Yebao, Vice Director, Shandong Foreign Affairs Office
Mao Huaming, Secretary-General, Jinan Municipal People's Government
Han Wei, District Mayor, Zhangqiu District, Jinan Municipality

2:00 Boat Tour on Daming Lake

6:00 Dinner with Liu Jiayi, Secretary of CPC Shandong Committee & Chairman of Standing Committee of Shandong Provincial People's Congress
Bai Jimin, Vice-Chairman, Standing Committee, Shandong Provincial People's Congress
Ren Airong, Vice-Governor
Qi Tong, Secretary-General, Standing Committee, Shandong NPC
Liu Yongju, Deputy Secretary-General & Director-General, General Office, CPC Shandong Committee
Wang Jinbao, Director-General, Shandong Agriculture Department
She Chunming, Director-General, Shandong Commerce Department
Zhang Jigang, Exectuive Vice-Chairman, Shandong People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries

Friday, September 22

DRESS: Jacket/Blazer, tie and slacks LEADER: Congressman LaHood
Breakfast and check out of the hotel

9:30 Depart for Tai Mountain by bus

Visit Tai Mountain

1: 00pm Lunch with Mr. Tang Fuquan, Chairman of Standing Committee of Tai'an Municipal People's Congress
 Jiang Qingpeng, Deputy Secretary-general & Office Director, Standing Committee of Tai'an Municipal People's Congress
 Miao Qingmin, Deputy Director of Tai'an Foreign Affairs and Overseas Chinese Affairs Office

2:30 Depart for Qufu by bus

4:30 Arrive in Qufu; check in Shangri-La hotel

5:00 Meeting and dinner with Chen Ying (f), Deputy Director, Jining Municipal People's Congress
 Li Li (f), Director, Jining Foreign Affairs and Overseas Chinese Affairs Office
 (Waiting for a full name list)

Saturday, September 23

DRESS: Jacket/blazer and slacks LEADER: Congressman Larsen

Breakfast and hotel check out

Confucius Temple tour and discussion

Confucius Cemetery

Lunch

Duke Yansheng Mansion

2:00 Confucius Research Institute
 Meeting with Chen Xiaoxiao (f), Deputy Director

5:10 pm Depart for Beijing via high speed rail (G140)

7:44 Arrive in Beijing

Proceed to China World Summit Wing

Sunday, September 24

DRESS: Shirt, slacks, jeans okay

Hotel check out

Depart for Great Wall

Great Wall

9:30 Mrs. Marshall departs hotel for Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK) for noon flight to San Francisco

Lahoods depart the Great Wall for 4:10 flight to Chicago and for Washington Reagan on UA 850 and UA 624 (LaHoods)

Larsen, Sablan, Maloney Young, Marshall depart the Great Wall for 6:25 flight to Washington Dulles on UA 808 (Congressmen)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

4. List of all House Participants (as of August 14, 2017)

The National Committee on U.S.-China Relations believes that it is critical for members of Congress to gain on-the-ground experience in China in order to better understand the complex relationship between our two countries. We have selected a bipartisan group of Congressmen with specific interests in learning more about China and the U.S.-China relationship, particularly in the strategic and commercial areas. The group is also interested in learning about potential opportunities and challenges in the relationship moving forward under the new Administration.

HOUSE INVITEE	WHY INDIVIDUAL WAS INVITED
Congressman Rick Larsen (D-WA)	Co-chair, US-China Working Group; Member, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee; Member, the House Armed Services Committee; Ranking Member, Aviation Subcommittee; Co-Founder, the Congressional Arctic Working Group
Congressman Darin Lahood (R-IL)	Co-chair, US-China Working Group; Member, Natural Resources Committee; Member, Science, Space, and Technology Committee
Congressman Sean Patrick Maloney (D-NY)	Member, Committee on Agriculture; Member, Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management; Member, Subcommittee on Horticulture, Research, Biotechnology, and Foreign Agriculture; Member, Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Member, Subcommittee on Aviation; Member, Subcommittee on Highways and Transit; Member, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment; Member, No Labels Problem Solvers Caucus; Member, New Democrat Caucus; Co-Chair, LGBT Equality Caucus
Congressman Roger Marshall (R-KS)	Member, Committee on Agriculture; Member, Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit; Subcommittee on Nutrition; Member, Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture; Member, Committee on Science, Space, and Technology; Vice Chair, Subcommittee on Oversight; Subcommittee on Research and Technology; Member, Committee on Small Business; Member, Subcommittee on Health and Technology; Member, Subcommittee on Contracting and Workforce
Congressman Gregorio Kilili Camacho Sablan (D-Saipan)	First and only person to represent the people of the Northern Mariana Islands in the U.S. House of Representatives; Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions of the House Committee on Education and the Workforce; Member, Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
Congressman Kevin Yoder (R-KS)	Chair, Appropriations Committee; Chair, Legislative Budget Committee; Member, Judiciary Committee
Congressman David Young (R-IA)	Member, Committee on Appropriations; Member, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies; Member, Subcommittee on Homeland Security; Member, Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies

The delegation will be accompanied by Stephen Orlins, president of the National Committee, Shuwo Nicky Zhou, program associate of the National Committee, and Sun Yun, an academic fellow in the National Committee's Public Intellectuals Program currently serving as a senior associate at the Henry L. Stimson Center's East Asia Program.

Cultural Expenditures and Entry Fees to Cultural Sites

Temple of Heaven	\$5.11
Baotu Spring	\$3.00
Tai Mountain, entry & cable car	\$86.67
Confucius Family Mansion & Cemetery	\$22.55
Great Wall, entry	\$6.76
Great Wall, cable car	\$18.04
Subtotal	\$142.13



**NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON U.S.-CHINA RELATIONS/U.S.-CHINA WORKING GROUP
MEMBERS TRIP TO CHINA
September 15-24, 2017**

**DRAFT ITINERARY
(as of August 14, 2017)**

Friday, September 15

Morning

Members depart for Beijing

- at 12:25 pm from Washington Dulles (IAD) on UA 807
- at 7:05 am from Peoria, IL (PIA) via Dallas (DFW) on AA 5710 and AA 263

Saturday, September 16

11:10 am

Congressman Maloney departs for Beijing at 11:10 am from Dallas (DFW) on AA 263

Afternoon

Members arrive in Beijing at

- 2:20 pm on UA 807 from IAD
- 2:15 pm on AA 263 from DFW

Met by:

National People's Congress (NPC) officials

Proceed to:

Kerry Hotel

1 Guanghua Road, Beijing

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7:00

Dinner with Elizabeth Knup

Discussion with Elizabeth Knup, the China Representative at the Ford Foundation, on the new Foreign NGO law and limits and opportunities for civil society groups operating in China

Sunday, September 17

7:15 am

Breakfast at the hotel

8:15

Depart hotel

9:00

Temple of Heaven

Accompanied by expert guide, we will visit the Temple of Heaven to learn about the history and religion of dynastic China, which is critical to understanding the underpinnings of contemporary Chinese society. The Temple of Heaven is a complex where Ming and Qing dynasty emperors would pray and conduct rituals in the hopes of a good harvest.

10:45

Depart for Great Wall

- 12:15 pm Lunch at The School House at Mutianyu
- 1:15 Great Wall
On our hike up the wall, our guide will discuss ancient China's relations with neighboring states and peoples.
- 2:15 Congressmen Maloney arrives in Beijing from Dallas (DFW) on AA 263
- 6:30 Dinner with Acting Mayor of Beijing
Mayor Chen Jining served as the President of Tsinghua University from 2012 to 2015 and Minister of Environmental Protection between 2015 and 2017.

Monday, September 18

- 7:00 am Breakfast at the hotel
- 8:00 Depart hotel for U.S. Embassy
Delegation members must bring their passports to be admitted
- 8:30 U.S. Embassy
The meeting with U.S. Ambassador to China Terry Branstad will also feature briefings with representatives from each of the specialized offices within the embassy.
- 10:30 Ministry of Agriculture
Discussion with senior officials on national policies to expand China's domestic agricultural productivity and progress on food security
- 12:30 pm U.S.-China Business Council and American Chamber of Commerce
Lunchtime discussion with the China-based leadership of USCBC and AmCham regarding foreign investment climate in China and implications for U.S. economic and trade policy
- 2:30 Institute of Public and Environmental Affairs (IPE)
Discussion with Ma Jun, founder of IPE, about his organization's groundbreaking environmental protection work addressing China's water, air and soil pollution
- 4:30 National People's Congress (NPC)
Meeting with NPC Chairman Zhang Dejiang for general discussion and exchange on legislative affairs and the U.S.-China relationship.

Working Session with NPC Foreign Affairs Committee Chair Madame Fu Ying on topics of member interest to include: U.S.-China agricultural relationship and developments, South China Sea, DPRK, foreign investment restrictions, China's plans for foreign investment in Asia and the U.S., new US administration's views on China, etc.
- 6:30 Dinner
- 8:00 Discussion with foreign correspondents at the home of William Zarit

Tuesday, September 19

- 7:00 am Breakfast at hotel
- 7:30 Depart hotel for senior leadership meeting
- 8:00 International Department of the Central Committee
Meeting with Minister Song Tao, an influential diplomat and current Head of the CCP's International Department, an agency directly under the Central Committee tasked with executing a great deal of China's foreign policy.
- 9:30 State Council
Meeting with Wang Yang, Vice Premier of the State Council and member of the Politburo. To discuss: China's Central Government's enactment of policy and bilateral economic relations in light of the recent Comprehensive Economic Dialogue between officials in the Chinese and U.S. governments.
- 11:00 Ministry of Defense
Meeting and discussion with senior level officials on opportunities and challenges in the security relationship.
- 12:30 pm Lunch
- 2:00 Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)
Meeting with AIIB President Jin Lique to discuss what AIIB might mean for other global institutions, such as the World Bank or IMF; the Belt and Road Initiative and its progress
- 4:00 Alibaba Group
Meeting with leaders of the Alibaba Group to discuss China's e-commerce market and innovation in the digital age.
- 6:30 Dinner

Wednesday, September 20

- 7:30 am Breakfast
- 8:30 Depart for Tianjin via high speed rail
- 10:00 Caterpillar, Tianjin
Meeting and factory tour with the American company at its manufacturing site in Tianjin. Topics of discussion will include the business climate for foreign companies operating in China and the experience of partnering with Chinese companies
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 2:00 Airbus, Tianjin
Meeting and factory tour with the European multinational company in China at its manufacturing site. Visit will offer a comparative perspective on the business climate for the operations of multinational corporations in China

6:00 Dinner with Tianjin Municipal People's Congress officials

8:00 Depart for Jinan, Shandong, via high speed rail

10:00 Arrive at Jinan

Met by:

Shandong Provincial People's Congress officials

Proceed to:

Sheraton Jinan Hotel
8 Long'ao N Rd, Lixia Qu

Thursday, September 21

8:00 am Breakfast

9:00 Shandong Governor Gong Zheng

10:30 Jinan Mayor Wang Zhonglin

12:00 pm Lunch

2:00 Jinan sewage treatment factory
Discussion and tour

4:00 Daming Lake
Boat tour of public park and discussion about ecological and environmental preservation amidst urbanization with local officials and scholarly escort

6:30 Dinner

Friday, September 22

7:30 am Breakfast and check out of the hotel

8:30 Depart for Tai Mountain by bus; on-bus briefing on China's park system

10:00 Tai Mountain
One of China's five sacred peaks, Tai Mountain is a site where generations of Chinese have visited to commune with nature. We will learn about what role Mount Tai played to various dynasties throughout Chinese history.

12:00 pm Lunch

1:00 Depart for farm visit(s) by bus

2:00 Farm visit(s) and discussion of agricultural best practices

6:30 pm Dinner with local farmers

8:00 Depart for Qufu, Shandong, by bus

9:30 Arrive in Qufu

Proceed to:

Shangri-La Hotel, Qufu
Chun Qiu Zhong Lu, Qufu Shi

Saturday, September 23

9:00 am Breakfast and check out of the hotel

10:00 Confucius Temple tour and discussion
Over the past decade, Confucius and Confucianism has been restored to positions of respect. According to Chinese President Xi Jinping, "Confucianism is key to understanding the national characteristics of the Chinese as well as the historical roots of the spiritual world of the present-day Chinese." The visit to Qufu, Confucius' birthplace, and its various sites devoted to the philosopher, is designed to understand Confucius' place in contemporary Chinese thought.

12:00 pm Lunch meeting with local Confucius experts

1:00 Tour of the Confucius Cemetery

3:00 Tour of the Duke Yansheng Mansion
The Duke Yansheng Mansion, the home of the direct descendants of Confucius and, at one point, the largest private rural estate in China, is a site that conveys the complex history of land ownership in dynastic China and the significance not only of the contentious experiments in China's land ownership policies of the 20th century, but also of contemporary issues in land ownership and the rural-urban registration system

5:30 Dinner

6:30 Depart for Beijing via high speed rail

9:00 Arrive in Beijing

Proceed to:

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1 Guanghua Road, Beijing
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Sunday, September 24

9:00 am Breakfast and check out of the hotel

10:00 Depart for Forbidden City – The Palace Museum
The Forbidden City was the historical seat of Chinese power both nationally and internationally. It sits above Tiananmen Square, which is surrounded by the central offices of China's government.

1:00 pm Lunch

1:00	Continue with the Palace Museum
3:00	Depart for Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK)
4:10	Depart for Washington Reagan on UA 850 and UA 624
6:25	Depart for Washington Dulles (IAD) on UA 808
7:50 pm	Arrive in Washington, D.C.